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16.1 Pole-line and wire mileage and number of telephones in use, 1970-75

Year	Systems reporting	Route mileage	Length of wire miles	Telephones in use			Per 100 population
				Business	Residential	Total	
1970	1,376	297,727	56,230,618	2,853,601	6,896,410	9,750,011	45.2
1971	1,171	298,235	59,199,244	2,996,276	7,272,505	10,268,781	47.3
1972	1,170	303,000	62,996,211	3,183,076	7,804,065	10,987,141	50.0
1973	985	342,000	67,940,003	3,428,292	8,249,152	11,677,444	52.3
1974	904	351,000	73,132,711	3,691,581	8,762,750	12,454,331	55.0
1975	850	334,000	77,668,111	3,928,375	9,236,635	13,165,010	57.2

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				Business	Residential	Total	
1970	1,376	479 145	90 494 408	2,853,601	6,896,410	9,750,011	45.2
1971	1,171	471 916	95 271 948	2,996,276	7,272,505	10,268,781	47.3
1972	1,170	487 631	101 382 574	3,183,076	7,804,065	10,987,141	50.0
1973	985	550 396	109 338 836	3,428,292	8,249,152	11,677,444	52.3
1974	904	564 880	117 695 690	3,691,581	8,762,750	12,454,331	55.0
1975	850	537 521	124 994 708	3,928,375	9,236,635	13,165,010	57.2

16.2 Telephones in use, by province, 1974 and 1975

Year and province or territory	Telephones							Coin telephones Business
	On private lines		On party lines		Extensions		Total	
	Business	Residential	Business	Residential	Business	Residential		
1974								
Newfoundland	17,296	84,168	1,324	28,062	14,473	22,783	1,625	
Prince Edward Island	2,847	16,947	389	11,281	2,235	5,575	317	
Nova Scotia	19,391	173,647	1,689	46,573	12,415	58,773	3,668	
New Brunswick	22,395	129,282	1,131	41,445	27,041	48,222	2,016	
Quebec	262,338	1,515,126	7,676	284,704	232,181	464,574	23,681	
Ontario	379,602	2,102,533	10,826	432,612	310,156	874,414	32,023	
Manitoba	46,983	256,232	3,211	56,916	36,173	71,924	3,400	
Saskatchewan	37,271	201,953	2,460	65,532	28,167	64,777	3,127	
Alberta	90,475	464,707	3,084	67,672	77,680	171,569	7,488	
British Columbia	122,382	510,908	3,115	250,186	91,623	226,101	8,217	
Yukon Territory	1,686	2,653	123	1,729	1,134	759	104	
Northwest Territories	3,116	5,878	116	1,179	1,771	1,151	169	
Canada	1,005,782	5,464,034	35,144	1,287,891	835,049	2,010,622	85,835	
	Private branch exchanges		WATS ¹	Centrex	Mobile	Total	Telephones per 100 population	
	Business	Residential	Business	Business	Business			
Newfoundland	18,268	—	—	259	267	188,525	34.5	
Prince Edward Island	6,235	12	—	—	28	45,866	38.9	
Nova Scotia	55,790	75	1	9,080	143	381,245	46.6	
New Brunswick	21,982	—	179	6,327	141	300,161	44.8	
Quebec	335,266	47	1,772	117,890	765	3,246,020	52.6	
Ontario	518,453	60	2,984	192,581	1,293	4,857,537	59.4	
Manitoba	63,561	9	168	4,892	87	543,556	53.6	
Saskatchewan	41,144	—	23	—	545	444,999	48.8	
Alberta	129,010	—	88	7,151	7,906	1,026,830	58.8	
British Columbia	153,702	—	399	24,245	3,294	1,394,172	57.1	
Yukon Territory	1,821	—	—	—	—	10,009	50.0	
Northwest Territories	2,024	—	—	—	7	15,411	41.6	
Canada	1,347,256	203	5,614	362,425	14,476	12,454,331	55.0	